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Applicant(s):	Parkinson et al.	Docket No.:	56334.00011
Application No.:	10/719,974	Group Art Unit:	2832
Filing Date:	November 20, 2003	Examiner:	Unassigned
Title:	ELASTOMER KEYPAD AND BEZEL		

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT DATA**

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We have enclosed marked-up copies of the Filing Receipt and Updated Filing Receipt noting the correction. With the requested correction, the Filing Receipt will reflect the correct date in which the Applicant filed the application with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**Docket No.: 56334.00011

Mail Stop Patent Application  
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**NEW UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner:

Herewith is the utility patent application of Applicant:

Joel Keith Parkinson, 1373 W. Thompson Way, Chandler, AZ 85248; andWayne Keith Parkinson, 1020 E. Amberwood Drive, Phoenix, AZ 85048TITLE: ELASTOMER KEYPAD AND BEZEL

Including:

- Declaration  
 Abstract  
14 Pages of Specification (only specification and claims)  
39 Numbered claims(s)  
5 Sheets of drawing:  informal  formal  
 This is a filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.47 (Petition attached)  
 Attached: Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.97-1.99  
 Attached: Form PTO No. 1449, with cited references  
 Attached is an Assignment to \_\_\_\_\_  
 Attached: Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet  
 Applicant asserts "small entity" status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27  
 Priority is hereby claimed under 37 C.F.R. §1.55 and 35 U.S.C. §119 based on prior U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_  
 THIS APPLICATION IS BEING FILED WITHOUT AN OATH OR DECLARATION, CHECK FOR FILING FEE, OR AN ASSIGNMENT BECAUSE THE INVENTOR IS TEMPORARILY UNAVAILABLE; THEREFORE, ISSUANCE OF A NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

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**Per MPEP §§506 AND 607**

	Claims filed	Basic claims	Present Extra	Fees
<b>Basic Fee:</b>				
Total Effective Claims	39	minus	20	= 19 X \$ 18.00 = \$ 342.00
Independent Claims	4	minus	3	= 1 X \$ 86.00 = \$ 86.00
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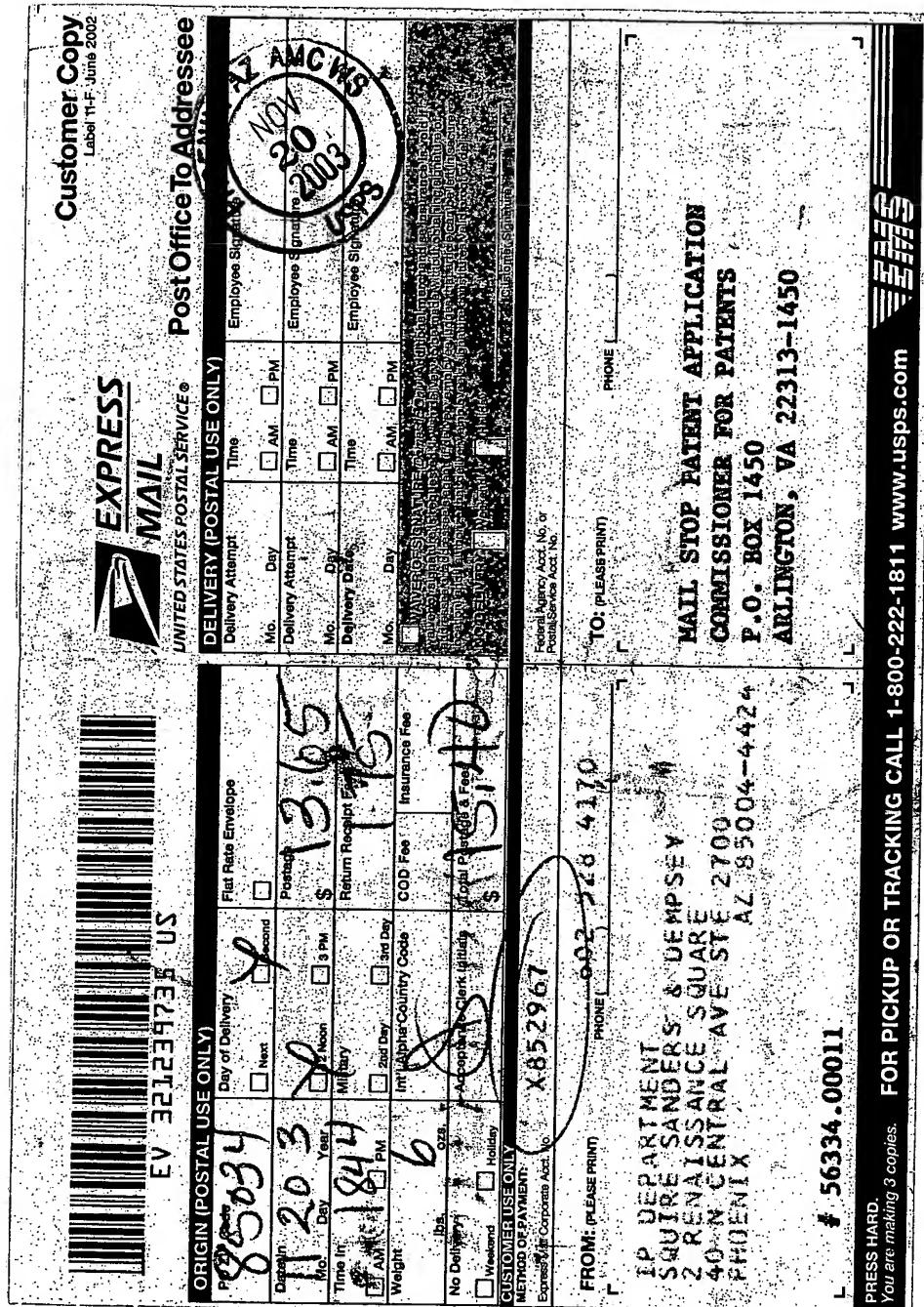
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Elastomer keypad and bezel

## Preliminary Class

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